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Sir:

In response to the written restriction requirement dated January 30, 2007, the applicants hereby elect interfering RNA (claims 21 and 22) as the single PKC inhibitor.

A Preliminary Amendment is being submitted with this Election. The elected invention encompasses new claims 23-27. Accordingly, the applicants respectfully request that new claims 23-27 be examined in the subject application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17 as required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 19-0065.

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